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To Whom It May Concern,

I have been assigned to reconcile the USPTO's Deposit Account against Kenyon and Kenyon's records. Below are charges that are inconsistent with what we believe is true. I would respectfully ask that you reimburse Kenyon and Kenyon's Deposit Account 110600 for these fees listed below. If there is any other information you need, please feel free to contact me at [Jduffy@kenyon.com](mailto:Jduffy@kenyon.com).

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Thank You,

*Judy Duffy*  
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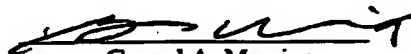
In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the "Declaration and Power of Attorney" fully complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.497(a) and (b). Withdrawal of the Notification of Defective Response and acceptance of the "Declaration and Power of Attorney" are respectfully requested.

The Office is also authorized to charge the \$130.00 fee to cover the surcharge for filing this Reply to Notification of Defective Response and any additional fees to Kenyon and Kenyon LLP Deposit Account No. 11-0600. An additional copy of this letter is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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 FLUID MEDIUM TO A SUBSTRATE  
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**REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE**

S I R:

This paper is filed in reply to the Notification of Defective Response dated January 23, 2006 in connection with the above-captioned application. A copy of the Notification of Defective Response is enclosed herewith. The Notification of Defective Response states that "[t]he current declaration does not comply with 37 C.F.R. 1.497(a) and (b) in that [the] Declaration contains alterations (name and residence of Stefan Erfle) that have not been initialed."

As regards the inconsistency between the spelling of the name "Stefan" in the "Declaration and Power of Attorney" filed on September 2, 2005 it appears that a typographic error occurred. When Steffen ERFLE executed the "Declaration and Power of Attorney" on March 10, 2005, he crossed out the name "Stefan" and inserted his correctly-spelled name "Steffen" without initialing the change. The correct spelling of the inventor is "Steffen" as indicated in the newly executed "Declaration and Power of Attorney."

As regards the alterations of residence of the inventor in the "Declaration and Power of Attorney" filed on September 2, 2005 it appears that the spelling of the word "Ulmerstrasse" was incorrect and contained an extra letter "s". The inventor crossed out the word "Ulmerstrasse" and inserted correctly-spelled word "Ulmerstrasse" without initialing the change. Based on the reasons stated above, the "Declaration and Power of Attorney" filed on September 2, 2005 was considered by the Patent Office to be defective.

We are enclosing herewith a new "Declaration and Power of Attorney" signed by the inventor Steffen ERFLE dated February 13, 2006, which shows correct spelling of the inventor's name and residence.